Mountain Weather Forecast

Lake District National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Saturday 18 Nov 2023 until 23:59 on Sunday 19 Nov 2023

Forecast Issued on Saturday 18 Nov 2023 at 02:02

Confidence: High for an unsettled weekend with showers or longer spells of rain. Lower confidence for extent and duration of showers on Sunday.

Headline for Saturday 18 Nov 2023: Windy and cloudy with outbreaks of rain. Drier in afternoon.

Mountain weather hazards on Saturday 18 Nov 2023

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
Medium Likelihood

Severe chill effect
Low Likelihood

Poor visibility
High Likelihood

Thunderstorms
Low Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
Low Likelihood

Strong sunlight
No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Heavy Rain	Drizzle	Fog	Cloudy	Heavy rain showers (night)	Heavy rain showers (night)
Precipitation probability					
>95%	80%	50%	30%	40%	40%

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Weather: Rain becoming lighter and drizzly in nature in the morning then drier with a few passing showers in the afternoon, some of these could turn heavy and possibly thundery in the evening. A few bright intervals in the afternoon, mainly in the east.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: Almost nil chance through the morning, improving to 40% in afternoon, best in east.

Low cloud and visibility: Extensive low cloud and fog down to low slopes during the morning giving difficult navigation conditions. Cloud lifting in the afternoon but still rather persistent above 500m over western and central fells. Visibility improving but some brief reductions in showers.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	34/42 SE	35/43 S	38/47 SW	40/50 SW	40/51 SW	43/55 SW	41/52 SW
600	33/44 SE	27/38 S	32/43 SW	35/47 SW	34/46 SW	36/50 SW	33/46 SW
300	10/29 S	4/20 S	13/33 SW	15/36 SW	15/37 SW	16/40 SW	15/38 SW
Valley	8/25 SE	5/21 S	13/31 SW	14/33 SW	15/34 SW	16/37 SW	15/35 SW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	5/-1	7/1	8/2	7/1	6/-0	6/-1	5/-2
600	5/-2	8/2	9/5	9/4	8/3	8/2	7/1
300	7/4	8/7	10/8	11/8	10/7	10/6	9/6
Valley	8/6	9/8	12/10	12/10	12/9	12/9	11/8
Freezing Level*	2500m	2100m	2100m	1900m	1800m	1700m	1600m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Strong winds will hamper progress at times with gales on higher slopes and ridges.

Forecast for Sunday 19 Nov 2023

Weather: Mainly cloudy with showers, perhaps merging to longer spells of rain.

Maximum wind: West or Southwest 20 to 25mph gusts 35mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 40%.

Low cloud and visibility: Areas of cloud above 600m with lower patches in showers. Mainly good visibility, occasionally poor in showers.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 8C rising to 11C.
At 800m: Plus 6C.
Freezing level: Above summits.

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Ground Conditions Supplement
No recent ground conditions report available.

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